

Infrastructure: Utility

Energy

- Electric Power supplied by Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA)
 - Abundant supply of affordable electric power.
 - Electric rates in Tennessee are among the lowest in the nation.
- Gas Pipelines
 - 37,383 miles of natural gas pipelines and distribution lines crisscross the entire state.

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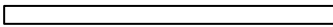
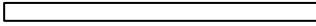
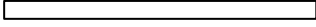
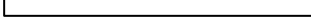
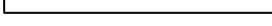
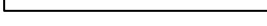
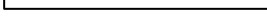





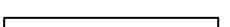
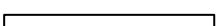
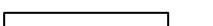
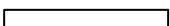
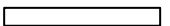

Major Cities

LOS ANGELES		\$36,169
CHICAGO		\$31,190
NEW ORLEANS		\$30,720
ST. LOUIS		\$26,052
TVA		\$25,331
MINNEAPOLIS		\$23,760
SEATTLE		\$23,082

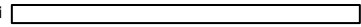
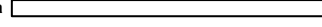
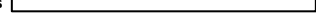
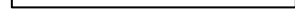



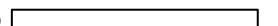
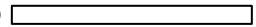
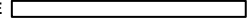
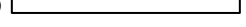




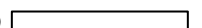


Southeastern Cities

RALIEGH		\$26,474
TVA		\$25,331
LITTLE ROCK		\$23,179
LOUISVILLE		\$22,468
CHARLESTON		\$22,302
JACKSONVILLE		\$20,974
BIRMINGHAM		\$20,608

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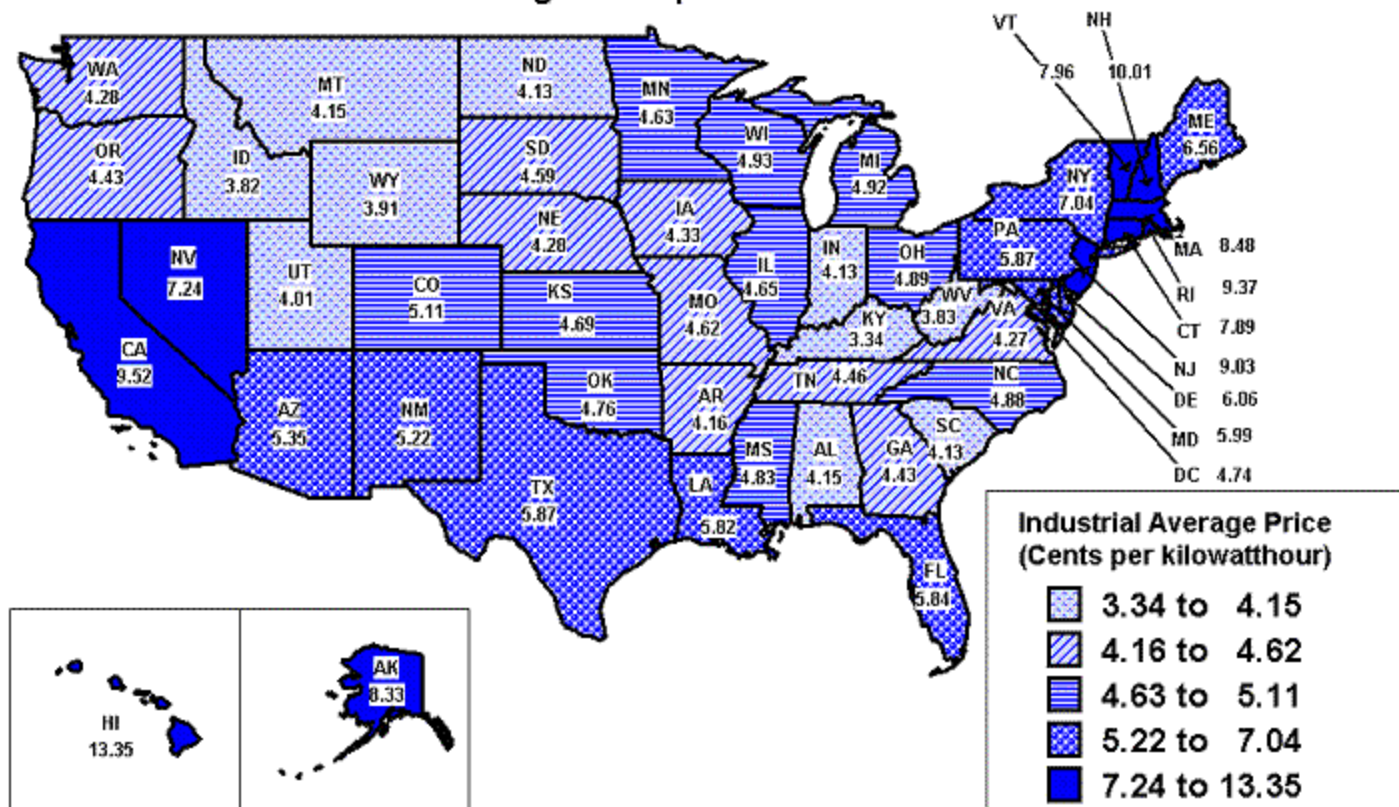
EntergyMississippi		\$32,319
EntergyNew Orleans		\$30,720
EntergyGulf States (LA)		\$30,558
EntergyLouisiana		\$30,120
Progress EnergyCarolinas (NC)		\$26,474
Cleco Corp. (Central LA Electric)		\$26,074
Ameren UE		\$26,052
TVA		\$25,331
Progress EnergyCarolinas (SC)		\$24,989
EntergyArkansas		\$23,179
South Carolina Electric & Gas		\$22,878
Louisville Gas & Electric		\$22,468
Mississippi Power		\$22,036
JEA (FL)		\$20,974
Alabama Power		\$20,608
American Electric Power (TN)		\$16,066
American Electric Power (KY)		\$16,057
American Electric Power (VA)		\$15,204

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EntergyMississippi		\$1,118.46
EntergyLouisiana		\$1,001.58
EntergyNew Orleans		\$975.02
Alabama Power		\$911.52
South Carolina Electric & Gas Co.		\$887.00
EntergyGulf States (LA)		\$884.12
Mississippi Power		\$861.80
Cleco Corp. (Central LA Electric)		\$858.70
Progress EnergyCarolinas (SC)		\$790.20
Progress EnergyCarolinas (NC)		\$769.70
Ameren UE		\$749.25
Louisville Gas & Electric Co. (KY)		\$729.09
TVA		\$721.71
American Electric Power (TN)		\$703.00
EntergyArkansas		\$668.40
JEA (FL)		\$616.00
American Electric Power (KY)		\$614.30
American Electric Power (VA)		\$567.00

**Figure 7.7 U.S. Electric Industry Industrial
Average Retail Price of Electricity by State, 2004
(Cents per kilowatthour)**

U.S. Industrial Average Price per kilowatthour is 5.27 Cents



Note: Figure information is shown by 5 groupings of 10 States and The District of Columbia. The presented range moves from the values for the lowest 10 States to the top 10 States.

Source: Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-861, "Annual Electric Power Industry Report."

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